

**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

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 Entitled: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PRODUCING AND CHECKING A HASH TOTAL FOR  
DIGITAL DATA GROUPED IN SEVERAL DATA SEGMENTS  
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